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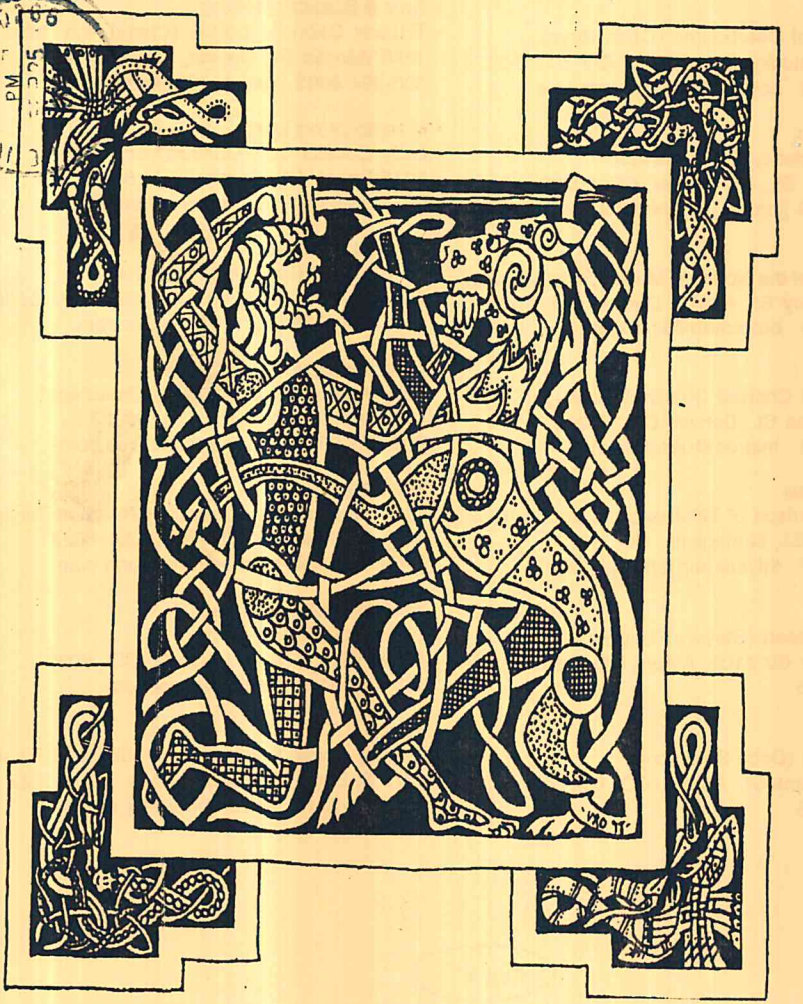

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	Lampworker's Guild	Fighter Practice, Calligraphy Class	Dance Practice		Highland Games in the Park	
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16	17	18	19	20	21	22
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From the Baron

Unto the populace of Caerthe, Lend me your ears and hear my words.

All hail our new Prince and Princess, Sir Ceasan and Lady Vanna, and their new Warlord, THL Otaktay.

I have never been more proud of this barony as I was this past Crown Tournament weekend. The populace came together and supported all that participated in the Crown and kingdom Warlord tournaments. We have once again united and shown our growing strength within this kingdom.

As our new Prince and Princess reside within this barony let us unite with all of our resources and talents in order to support them as we have supported the royal family in the past. I give my best wishes to Their Royal Highnesses and to our new Warlord.

I must reflect upon others as well. Good lords and ladies, many wondrous things have happened and will happen again in the future. These are glorious days filled with silver and gold.

Did somebody say gold? Fields of Gold was held once again this past month, and I would like to thank everyone that helped with and supported this event. I would like to add a special thank you to Lord Patric and M'lady Mary for autocrating. It was a wonderful weekend, and I offer my congratulations to all the winners.

Another year has passed, and the old baronial retinue has grown tired and weary. To everyone that who served on the baronial retinue for Baron Walter and Baroness Fiachra and for myself: thank you for your hard work and dedication. The new retinue is now in place and starting to feel more comfortable in their positions. Good luck!

Congratulations to Sir Hoegaarden upon receiving a Queen's Cypher from Her Majesty, Queen Eleanor, and to THLady Amber the Quietest upon receiving her offer to join the right and noble Order of the Laurel. Her ceremony will be held at Caerthe's upcoming A&S event.

Good gentles, old and young: in years gone by this barony has always been strong in its arts and sciences, and once again our kingdom will hold its grand A & S competition. I hope to see another Caerthen carry the position of Kingdom Champion. Let us all show our pride and support in those who go forth and share their talents.

In service, Sir Maelgwn McCain, Baron of Caerthe

Baronial Retinue

Warlord:	THL Otaktay
Sword of Chivalry:	Lord Vladimir
Guards:	Lord Angus MacDoughall
	Lord Connall the Red
Premiere Blade:	Lord Jethro
Rapier Guard:	Katrein die Alderin
	Lord Aerondale
Archer Warden:	Lord Larke the Fletcher
Head Lady-in-Waiting:	THLady Gabrielle Cartier
Ladies-in-Waiting:	Lady Aeron MacDoughall
	Lady Morgiana Chaeney
Black Glove of Caerthe:	Stephan Sorrenson
Scribe to Sir Maelgwyn:	Lady Killian
Herald to Sir Maelgwyn:	Lord Grellan O'Conchobhair
Chatelaine:	Lady Chiara della Luna

From the Seneschal

Unto the Populace of the fair Barony of Caerthe come greetings,

I hope you all had a happy and enjoyable summer and are looking forward to a busy fall as I am!

Recently, there has been some confusion regarding the necessity for guardianship papers along with minor waivers. If an adult is not accompanying a minor to an event, then they must have a legally designated guardian at that event. That means having a signed AND notarized guardianship paper along with a minor waiver. Parents, I have copies of these forms that I will happily send upon request. Please make sure that your children have the right paperwork when they attend events alone, or they will not be allowed to attend. I know this is a little late in the season, but I would also like to remind people about some basic camping etiquette. When arriving at an event late, ie: after midnight, please be considerate of those around you and do not shine the headlights of your car on your neighbors tents. It's also polite to not turn on music when arriving in the wee hours of the morning. I know that most of you don't need to hear this, but due to minor problems at a recent event, let's all be good neighbors and help our newcomers learn good SCA camping etiquette. And, as always, Leave the Site Cleaner than You Found It! :)

That said, I've got lots of congratulations! First and foremost, to Their Royal Highnesses Sir Ceasan and his lovely lady Vanna. THL Otaktay is also not only our new Caerthen Warlord, but Warlord of the Outlands as well!! Congrats also to our new Premier Blade, Jethro, our new Archery Warden, Lark, and our new Fields of Gold Champion, Naxos. I'd also like to welcome His Excellency's new guard and retinue members; I know that you'll do a great job! Last, but certainly not least, I'd like to congratulate Amber on being offered her Laurel at Crown Tournament (told ya you should go!).

I also apologize to all the folks who I was supposed to see at fighter practice, I'll try not to be so clumsy next time! By the time you read this the cast will be off my ankle and I'll be back at practice, calendar and forms in hand.

In Service, Meg

From the Knight Marshal

Greetings to the Populace. I have lots to say so I will attempt to be brief. The past few months have been good to the fighter practice. We continue to see a steady turnout in all areas and the supply of new people continues to grow. As Winter approaches and we make preparations to move all of the fighting activities indoors things will start to get crowded. This is period. Let's all work together to ensure that fighter practice continues to be a welcome gathering point for all members of our Barony.As the quarters get closer and the light gets worse it becomes ever more important to supervise the children.

Thank you to everyone who helps make the End of the Month Tournament and Potluck such a success. There has been a core group of about eight people who have consistently supported the potluck and made it possible for everyone to enjoy. Thank you all. There has been some discussion about having a brass bowl to help defray potluck costs, about allowing groups or households to volunteer to sponsor the potluck on a signup basis, and/or creating a sign-up sheet for people to volunteer what they will bring. Time permitting I will ask His Excellency and the Seneschal to open the floor to discussion of this matter at the end of the next Populace meeting. When Winter arrives in force we will moving the potluck indoors (unless someone wants to volunteer to man the grills in the wind). Please give some consideration to dishes that can be warmed in an oven.

The classrooms are starting to be used. Impromptu sewing has been taking place and Lady Killian has begun teaching a calligraphy class. Official classroom policy is thus: The large classroom is reserved for the use of the Minister of Arts and Sciences. Lady Gabrielle has first call on that room, please discuss any scheduling of that room with her.

The other classrooms are first come, first served. Lady Killian has requested a room for the 1st and 3rd practice of each month. If you want to use a classroom, please approach me and I will make arrangements to get the door unlocked.

DJ has stepped up as my drop-dead deputy. DJ is a fencer, a heavy fighter, and the person who got us access to the site. Thank you, DJ.

There were four fighting injuries this month, all at Fields of Gold. Details will be available at the Populace meeting. If you missed FOG you missed some excellent fighting.

Whew. All done.

Directions: Take your best route to the intersection of I-225 and Colfax Avenue. Proceed West on Colfax Avenue to the intersection of Colfax and Potomac. The Fitzsimmons Park and Ride is located at this intersection. Turn right onto Potomac and proceed North. You will turn left onto 17th Place. If you cross the bridge and head into the trailer park you have gone too far. Proceed West on 17th Place until you come to your first traffic light. Turn left onto Wheeler and proceed South to the chain link fenced area on the left. Turn left into the parking lot and find a place to park.

From the Chronicler

Greetings to the populace. I have a couple of things to communicate this month.

First off, I would like to remind all the officers, guild heads, etc., once again to check their information often and to let me know right away if something is incorrect. This will help to keep all information current. Also, if you are sending me a name, address, etc., change, please send it in an email if possible, and point out all the changes clearly.

I would also like to talk briefly about the Fortress Benefit Revel. I understand that my decision to take over the autocrating of the event and to use the money raised solely for the Fortress this year may have caused some bad feelings. I would like to emphasize that I am doing this ONLY because the Fortress desperately needs the money. I certainly appreciate all the hard work that has gone into the last few Benefit Revels, nor do I begrudge contributing to any of the worthy causes that we usually raise money for. The Fortress account was in good enough shape to allow this generosity for the last couple of years. But this year, and hopefully only for this year, the money all needs to go to the Fortress. I hope that everyone who can come and has something to donate will help contribute to this effort. Thanks.

In service, Maire

From the Aspen Pursuivant

Greetings!

Firstly, my contact information has changed. My new address and phone number are:

16620 E. Kentucky Ave.

Aurora, CO 80017

303-750-2708

By the time you read these words, we will have had a very successful first heraldic consultation/commenting meeting. If you would like to attend a heraldry meeting, the schedule follows, and the meetings will be held at the address above.

Oct. 15, 5:30pm

Nov. 19, 5:30pm

Dec. 10, 5:30pm (tentative)

For more information or directions, call or e-mail me. If you would like to work on a submission, comment on submissions presented by Rampart Herald, or just learn more about heraldry, please join us. Book heralds, please come and lend your expertise.

I am still collecting names for field or court heralds to maintain a list of those who may be available to serve when the need arises. I am also still looking for a drop-dead deputy.

Heraldry note for the month: The SCA uses two metals and five colors in its heraldry. The metals are: Or (gold or yellow) and Argent (silver or white). The colors are: Sable (black), Gules (red), Azure (blue), Vert (green), and Purpure (purple). When designing new heraldry, remember to put no metal on a metal nor a color on a color. This is to make it easier to identify the elements of the device by increasing contrast.

That's all for this month - may your harvests be plentiful as we head into the last of the year.

In service, Ly. Sorcha, Aspen Pursuivant

From the Office of the Hospitaller

As the cold winds of Fall revisit us, it reminds me that it's time once again for Boo! at the Zoo. Please help us out with one of the two biggest demos in the Barony. We always have a lot of fun and we always need a lot of candy! Details about the demo are in Lady Rivka's announcement elsewhere in the Fortress.

I'm looking to step down around the end of December. If you are interested in being the next Hospitaller for the Barony, please let me know by the end of the month. I will make my recommendations for a successor at the first of November. If you have any questions about what the job entails or need any other questions answered please let me know.

Depending on how the next Hospitaller wants to organize the office, there may also be a Gold Key deputy. The Gold Key keeps track of loaner items that belong to the Hospitaller's office. The deputy tracks which items need replacing as well as being to contact person when people need to borrow clothing, feast gear, etc. If you are interested in the Gold Key deputy position please let me know as well.

All these changes lead me into changes on a personal note. As of October first I will be in my new house. Throw out those old numbers, my new contact information is in the front of the Fortress. My e-mail address will remain the same.

Eat, Drink and Be Merry Revel

Join newcomers and members alike on this Friday the 20th for a potluck dinner at the home of one of our members. Bring a dish to share. 'Period' clothing preferred, but come anyway if you are just getting started in the SCA. We'll spend some time enjoying the fine food and then we'll socialize for the remainder of the evening. We'll get started about 7pm. If you need loaner clothing for the revel call the Gold Key deputy - Maredudd (303) 316-4328.

We'll meet at the home of Barbara Drumm-Brower. Her house is on the Northeast corner of 47th and High. Normally the best route is to take I-70 to the Brighton exit, but that exit is closed through October.

From East bound I-70 you can take the York exit. At the bottom of the ramp take a left and head north on Josephine. At 47th you can turn left (west) across York. This intersection is a weird little jog so keep a sharp eye out. Continue West on 47th until you reach 16th street. If you are coming from West bound I-70 I would highly recommend giving Barbara a call. As this is her neighborhood she'll probably have better directions than I can give.

For directions or more information call Barbara (303)296-7673 or me (Robert) (303) 316-4328 (e-mail coyote@dimensional.com).

If you miss October's revel you can join us in November on the 17th. Same time, same place.

Newcomer's Meeting

This is our basic introduction to the SCA. Come learn about what we do. Meet us in casual dress at the Englewood Public Library where we'll talk about the SCA, how to get involved and have a topic for the night.

We'll meet on October 24th (Tuesday) at the Englewood Public Library. It is located on the lower level of the new Englewood Civic Center. The Civic Center is one block East of Hamden and Santa Fe. Turn North at S. Inca Street. Follow signs to the parking lot. User the LOWER level parking.

The Library is on the lower level. Meet us in the Perrin conference room (the very back of the library from the parking garage). Meeting runs from 7-9pm. For more information call or e-mail Robert 303-316-4328 - coyote@dimensional.com

Travelling Scribe
Lady Killian MacKenzie
Kingdom Deputy of Education

Class dates have now been scheduled for the Canton of Hawk's Hollow

Dates: October 10th and 17th (Tues.), November 7th and 21st (Tues.), December 5th and 19th (Tues.)

Time: 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Place: (Canton classes). The Friendly Village of the Rockies Clubhouse. Take best route to I-25 and Thornton Parkway (92nd Ave.) Go west on Thornton Parkway, then north on Pecos, then west on 100th Ave. Take your first left (Elbert) and you will see the clubhouse in front of you.

Fighter practice site: Calligraphy will continue at this site the lst and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. See directions on the back page.

All levels of expertise are welcome. If you are interested in any of the classes or have art related questions, please call Lady Killian MacKenzie at 303-773-9596.

Caerthen Lampworkers Guild

Guild Meeting:

The Guild is meeting on **Tuesday** evenings, time 7 p.m. until 9 p.m. at a new location: 4500 S. Monaco St., garage #2307. See below for directions.

For more information, contact THL Jorunn: 303-796-8353.

Directions: Take your best route to I-25 and Belleview. Exit West on Bellview.Take a right at the first light past the golf course. This turns into S. Monaco. Take a right into the entrance of Cierra Crest Apartments. Take your first left go to little green stop sign and take a right. Building 10 is the second building on the left. Park at the far end between building 10 and 9. The garage is #2307 and is located between buildings 10 and 9 on the side of building 10. If the door is closed please knock just in case I'm inside.

THLady Jorunn nic Lochlainn
Guild Steward

Dance Practice

Dance practice takes place at Ross-University Hills Library or Park Hill Branch Library every Thursday. Please call THL Arwen at 303-756-7040, or e-mail arwen@caerthe.org for the exact monthly schedule.

All dance practices run from 7:00 - 9:00 pm. The Ross-University Hills Branch Library is located at 4310 E. Amherst Ave. (1 blk. south of Yale, 1.5 blks. east of Colorado Blvd.). The Park Hill Branch Library is at 4705 Montview, approximately 7 blks. east of Colorado Blvd.

UNIVERSITY OF CAERTHE

Appropriate to the Halloween season, this month Mistress Sadhbh Ni Donnabain will tell us about the Black Death. It came to Europe from the East and spread from country to country, we all know that. But how did it arrive, how did it spread, and why? How did people of the time deal with it? How did the Church and the secular authorities react to it? Even after it ended, it was not over; there were long term effects on the civilizations of Western Europe that persist to this day. A small example is the children's song, "Ring around the rosie". Remember where that came from?

We will meet at 7:30 P.M., October 25, the fourth Wednesday of the month, at Salamander Manor, the home of Mistress Bernice of Brittany - 3495 Newland Street, Wheat Ridge. All are encouraged to attend. Period garb is optional, but appreciated. For further information, call Mistress Bernice, 303-233-9558, Master Robin Vinehall, 303-444-5004, or Mistress Sadhbh at 720-932-0431.

Cook's Guild

October Cooks' Guild will be a Russian Tea, hosted by Lady Kseniya. The tea will begin at 2:00 pm on Sunday, October 15, at The Pines clubhouse, 4725 West Quincy Avenue in Denver. Take your best route to Sheridan and Hampden (US 285), go south on Sheridan to West Quincy, turn left at Quincy and go to the third left in a cul-de-sac parking lot. For more information, please call Lady Kseniya (303-730-7438) or Mistress Kate (303-322-1907).

Milliner's/Costuming Guild

Last month there were four newcomers eagerly wanting to make garb. Mistress Francesca did a presentation with slides on clothing from the Italian Renaissance period. There is always room for one more. The group is working on Persian and Italian for upcoming events. Come join us and make that perfect tunic, cotehardie or attire for you and your lord.

Dates for October: 9th (Monday) and 16th (Monday) On the 16th, Mistress Mirianna will discuss textiles of the Italian and Persian periods.

Times: 7 to 9 p.m.

Directions: Take your best route to 120th and Sheridan. Turn north on Sheridan, left on 12th. This is a short street with a stop sign. Turn right at this corner (12th and Inverness). Turn left at the very next street (12th again.) Then turn left into Dover Way. the address is 1151 Dover Way.

Any questions, call Mistress Beatricia at 303-460-8189 (no calls after 9 p.m.) or Killian MacKenzie at 303-773-9596.

Metalsmithing

Greetings unto the populace of Caerthe,

It has been declared that those of noble nature shall not only watch over and encourage the art's and sciences but that we shall share in our knowledge. I am offering free demonstrations and round table discussions on a variety of topics and techniques. Many of these demo's and discussions will focus on documentation and design as well as the intricacies of techniques as applied to specific projects. I will also be offering consultations regarding personal projects for these members with questions or concerns.

The studio is located near the old Stapleton Airport and I can be reached by calling (303) 394-3877 please call to determine our topics and schedule or set up a time to come by for consultations. I am not always home but I do return messages. Thank you very much for your consideration, long live the dream, Lord Tiberious.

!!New news!!

I would like any feed back you can give on topics you think would be good for round table discussions or even topics you may want to discuss. If anyone has any ideas for topics or classes that they think a metalsmithing enthusiast might be able to teach/demo/or discuss at fighter practice I would also like to hear about them.

I have heard that our arts and sciences officer has worked very hard to help arts through the guilds and local arts people by setting up open houses for all of us to visit and see what we could learn, I have also heard that the response was none the less low for the first one. I would just like to say please thank her for her effort by showing up to the next one guy's, help us prove that we appreciate more then just the stuff artist make but the people who make it and who help others make it.

BUILDING FUND BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING, OCTOBER 16

Everyone is invited to the next quarterly meeting of the Caerthen Building Fund Board of Directors, Monday, October 16, 7:30 p.m., at the home of THL Marguerite, 19541 East Bethany Drive in Aurora. We will be holding officer elections at this time. You do not have to be a member of the Board to attend!!! For more information or directions, please contact THL Marguerite, 303-400-5928, or Lord Johann of the Northern Moors, 303-730-7438.

Argent Anniversary

Barony of Dragonsspine, October 7, A.S. XXXV (2000) Site Opens at 9:00a • Site Closes at 11:00p Oddfellows Hall • 575 S. Union St. • Colorado Springs, CO 80910 Site Fee: $5.00; under 12-$3; Family cap-$20 Feast (Paid Reservations Required) Fee: Prior to September 20-$7.50; After Sept. 20-$11.00, under 12 half-price; under 3 Free Make checks payable to "SCA-Dragonsspine" Site is DRY

FEASTING! FUN! A PAS d'ARMES! A THEME! ARTS! SCIENCES! PRIZES! COLORS!

The Barony of Dragonsspine invites you to join us in celebrating 25 years of the Dragon! Lots of fun for everyone, and a typically fabulous Dragonsspine Feast to finish off! Their Excellencies, Giovanni and Cainnleach, invite all in attendance to add to the Color Theme by wearing Argent (for 25 years) and one (or more) of the Dragonsspine Colors (Blue, Gold or Purple); recognition will be given for the best. This one-day event will also include the Baronial Arts & Sciences Competition and Display. All are invited to display work not for competition and to help judge the competition; please talk to Lord Thorvaldr. Sir Frederick will be hosting a Pas d'Armes for heavy fighters; and there will be a Rapier "First Blood-With Flair." There will be tables in the hall and space on the lake for a potluck lunch.

The Arts and Sciences competition will start at 10:00, and the displays will be up until 3:30. The First Blood-With Flair Rapier tourney will start promptly at 9:30. After a half-hour break for lunch, the Pas d'Armes will begin at 12:30. Winners will be announced at 4:30. The Feast will start at 5:30, and there will be Dancing from 9:30-11:00.

Special Anniversary coins are being minted so that all attendees can use them to recognize accomplishments of the day in Arts, Sciences, Chivalry, Flair, Anniversary Colors presentation, and anything else worth noting. The fighters will be looking for a gallery (audience) to tell them how they're doing. Artists are asked to bring bowls or other containers to hold coins left by their work. There will be a special recognition during court for the recipient of the most coins.

Special Feast Information: In order to plan a feast worthy of this great anniversary, feast seating will be By PAID Reservation Only. Reservations will cut off on October 1st. We will not be able to admit anyone to the feast that has not sent in their paid reservation by this date. Send reservations, with check or money order payable to: SCA-Dragonsspine to: Robin Brown, 1245 Allegheny Dr., Colorado Springs, CO 80919. Please include a contact email or phone number with your reservation. If you have any special dietary needs, please include this with your reservation, or contact the Head Cook.

Directions: Take I-25 to Colorado Springs. Take exit 142, Bijou St. Head east towards downtown. At the first stoplight, turn right. Go down two blocks and turn left onto Colorado. This will become Pike's Peak after a few blocks. Memorial Park will be on your right. Go to Union, at the far end of the park, and turn right. Take Union down to the end of the park, at Eastlake. The OOOF (Oddfellows) Hall is just before Eastlake on the left at 575 S. Union.

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Highland Games in the Park
October 7, 2000

If you didn't get enough in July or you missed out here is your chance to come out and play or watch feats of strength in the comfort of our own backyard. On Sat. Oct. 7th there will be another Highland Games. This one day event is sure to be as fun as any other games with the convenience of an in town location. Pavilions are welcome so please come out and have a good time. As always you must be authorized prior to the event to compete.

Location: Oak Park on east side of Oak St. Btwn. 65th and 66th. (same site as practice)

Directions: I-70 west to Kipling, go north on Kipling, this will turn into 64th/ Ralston Rd and curve to the West, stay on this to Oak St., turn right /north on Oak St. take Oak St to park. From north take 80th west to Kipling south to 72nd west to Oak St. south to park. Site is dry. Opens at 9am with games starting at 10am and running till about 5ish.

Amenities: playground for kids, Privies will be at the home of Ivan and Stasia 2 blks away. This will be a fund raiser for Scottish gaming equipment so there will be a brass bowl instead of a site fee but please be generous.

Autocrat: Lord Ivan, 10793 w 67th PL Arvada CO 80004 303-940-0104, MacIvan@aol.com

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SCA Demo in Aspen, Colorado

Date: October 7, 2000

Time: 10am-5pm

Site: Aspen Library

Autocrat contact info: Vicountess Courtney Caesania Alimy home phone number: 970-240-4881 home email address: mikecourtney@dmea.net

Co-Autocrat contact info: Lady Althea ni Cullaugh home phone number: 303-682-5428 home email address: tea13@bouldernews.infi.net work email address: to be obsolete after September 29th

Info: This is a combined effort between the Outlands and Artemisia, to develop a new SCA group in Aspen. We currently have one SCA member in Aspen, and the hopes are to help develop a new group. The Desert Boarder Squirmish for Artemisia has been moved to this demo site. Please let me or Courtney know if you plan to attend. Arts and Sciences, as well as Heavy-Weapons fighting is welcome. I believe Fencing is also a part of this demo.

Directions: From I-70 to Glenwood Springs, take Hiway-82 forty miles up into Aspen. Stay on Hi-82, go on an S-Curve, and stay on Hi-82 until you come to the Hotel Jerom which is at a stoplight, and the cross street is Mill Street. Turn left on Mill Street and go 50 yards and you'll see the library on the Righthand side. The library has no parking so... you must go to the next steet on the right, Rio grande. you can park on this street or use the parking garage,it is on the right(I think it is 5 to 10 dollars for the day). There are a set of stairs on the left side of the garage. take these up and on your right will be the field for the demo. If you need more info please call Lucius Avisius at 970-544-6467.

Outlands A&S Competition

Shire of Caer Mithin Halle, October 14, AS XXXV (2000) Site Opens at 9:00a • Site Closes at 10:00p Otis Community Center • 2513 Bannister • Otis, NM 88220 Fees: Site – $4.00; Feast – $8.00; Children 8 and under – Free Restrictions: Advance reservations required; Feast limit: 100, NO off-board Make checks payable to "SCA - Caer Mithin Halle" Site is DRY

Greetings unto all Gentles throughout the Glorious Outlands. Harvest time is quickly approaching when activities turn to the gentler occupations to while away the cooler months. We invite craftsmen and artisans of the Kingdom to display their skills in noble competition before their most Dread Majesties. There will be a location away from the site for the judging of alcoholic entries. Children's entries are encouraged. A Fighter's Workshop will also be held. A tasty feast celebrating an abundant harvest will be provided by the talented cooks of Dedidi Ventri.

Feast menu (from the Forme of Curye, late 1300s English cookbook):

First Course: Cormarye (a delightful marinated pork roast)
Losyns (basically a simple and rustic cheese lasagna)
Funges (a cooked mushroom and leek dish)
Appulmoy (a spiced applesauce thickened with almond milk and rice flour)

Second Course: Roasted chicken with a choice of two sauces; Sawse cameline (a spiced sweet/sour sauce with walnuts and currants); Lumbard mustard (a honeyed mustard with wine)
Fenkel in soppes (a fennel and onion stew served over toast)
Tourteletes in fryture (fried, spiced fig pastries, drenched in honey)

If you have special food requirements, please notify us as soon as possible. Site fee is $4.00 per person. Due to limited space, advance reservations are essential; only 100 seats at table are available, with no room for off board feasting. Reservations must be in to us by October 6, 2000.

Directions: Take your best route to Carlsbad, NM. Then take US 285 south towards Loving, NM & Pecos, TX. Otis, NM is approximately 4.75 miles south of the turnoff. Look for the large, white water tower that says OTIS on it. Turn left at Grandi Road (it's just past the café which is on the right hand side of the road) and proceed .25 miles to Bannister Road. Site is on the northeast corner (to your left) of the intersection of Grandi & Bannister. There is water on site, but limited shade. There is extremely limited crash space, please contact one of the autocrats regarding availability. There are motels, two campgrounds and several near bye restaurants available. Let us know if you would like a list.

Autocrat: Lady Lynne of Greystone (Jane Bujac); P O Box 667, Carlsbad, NM 88221, (505) 885-0251

Co-Autocrat: Lady Prydwen of Gryphonscrag (Joan Nicholson); 409 N Happy Valley Road, Carlsbad, NM 88220 (505) 885-4335, gryphon@carlsbadnm.com

Fortress Benefit Revel
October 21st, 2000

Please come and join us for the Caerthen annual Fortress Benefit Revel on Saturday, October 21st from 6 until 10 p.m. at the Caerthen Fighter Practice Site (see directions on back page.) The format will be the same as in previous years. Anyone wishing to drop off donations can do so with the autocrat, Lady Maire, at the September populace meeting, or call her at 303-722-9971 to make arrangements. You are also free to bring your donations to the event, of course. Please also bring a potluck dish to share. But wait....there's more!! I turn this event announcement now over to our MC for the evening, THL Roland!

Lately, you may or may not have heard of a professionally made SCA documentary, filmed in the Kingdom of Caid, chronicling the lives of a select group of society folk over a nine month period. The film, IN SERVICE TO THE DREAM (by Mythos productions), is currently making the festival circuit, with hopes of achieving national release (sometime prior to the end of this year). Anyway, those of you that've visited their web site have no doubt seen the VERY COOL movie poster, created to promote the film. Well here's your chance to own a truly exclusive piece of SCA history! You, yes you, now have a chance to be the very first gentle in the Knowne World to privately own the IN SERVICE TO THE DREAM, movie poster!!! This is the real deal, folks. Where, when and how can this incredible item be obtained? At the Fortress Benefit fundraiser. In addition to the poster a plethora of common, unique and rare items (donated by the Caerthen Populace) will be raffled off to benefit our newsletter: The Fortress. So grab your coin, tickets are $1.00 each., and come down for good company, a pot-luck feast and opportunity to win many exciting items including the IN SERVICE TO THE DREAM poster (2'W x 3'L, mounted on a foam core backing for easy framing)!! What?!?! You can't make it to the event, you say. Odds are that you know someone who can, in your stead. Though tickets must be purchased at the site only, the winner can be from anywhere (you have to pick up the shipping costs, though). As the MC for the raffle, I'll be looking forward to your attendance!

Autocrat: Lady Maire ni Chonaill, 303-722-9971, mairec@uswest.net.

Monthly Revel

Shire of Caer Galen, October 27, 2000, Site open from 7-10pm., 3100 Marine Street (South Entrance), Boulder, CO, Site Fee: FREE!!!! Site is DRY Come one, come all, to a celebration of massive humor and fancy! This month's revel is themed as "come as you aren't". Ah, the possibilities abound..... You could come as something you are not (i.e. Maestra Francesca coming in early Viking), or you could go as someone else (i.e. switching clothes with someone else going as "each other"); but come dress up and join the fun! There will be a prize for the most inventive "I am not THIS" entry, a prize for the best "pun costume", and a prize for the best rendition of "someone else". If you are new to the Shire or the Society and need garb, feast gear, or information, please contact our Hospitaller, Lady Althea, at (303)682-5428. Bring a dessert or snack to share, and come share in our fun!

Directions From the North: Take Hwy 119 south to Foothills Parkway. Go south on Foothills Parkway to Arapahoe Avenue, and turn right (west). Follow Arapahoe Avenue to Marine Street and turn left (south). Marine Street will curve to the right-keep following the street until you see a six-story building on your left. This is 3100 Marine Street-Parking is on the south side of the building, and follow the signs up to the 6th floor auditorium. **Directions from the South:** Take Hwy 36 to the Foothills Parkway Exit. Go North on Foothills Parkway to Arapahoe Avenue, turn left (west), and follow the same instructions as from the north.

Autocrat: Baroness Brianna Chevreuil, mka Kat Michel, 770 38th Street, Boulder, CO 80303, 303-247-9223, michelk@spot.colorado.edu.

Newcomers

Barony of Unser Hafen, October 28, AS XXXV (2000)McMillian Building, Larimer County Fairground • 700 S. Railroad •Loveland, CO 80537 Fees: Site - $4; Feast - $5; Under 6 free; 7-13 half price. Minors under 18 must be with a parent or have notarized guardianship papers and waivers with them and a guardian on site. Make checks payable to SCA - Unser Hafen Site is DRY

Baron Tuman, Baroness Rashiqah and the Barony of Unser Hafen invites all of joyous nature to a Newcomers Festival and 10th Birthday Celebration. Come celebrate the enthusiasm of new people to the Society and glory in Unser Hafen's past. There will be heavy weapons, fencing and archery tournaments for newcomers (less then two years in the Society) and for all comers. "St. Brigid's Faire" and a Bazaar will be happening again this year. There will also be an auction (both silent and live). We are looking for donations for both the Bazaar and the Auction. We are extending a special invitation to all who have lived and played in Unser Hafen in the past, to come and participate in the event and to bring any pictures and memorabilia they can. We are working on a display of the History of the Barony and would appreciate any additions, either now or at the event. Please contact the autocrat, if you have things you would like included. We would like copies of picture or permission to copy any pictures you send. There will be a donation lunch and a Feast. We have several diversions planned for the younger folk. Reservations can be sent to either the Autocrat or the Feast Coordinator.

Directions: From I-25, take Exit 255 (Highway 402) and go west on 402 4.7 miles to S. Roosevelt Avenue (just across the railroad tracks...no light, small sign...watch closely). Go north (right) on S. Roosevelt 0.6 miles to the site ate the Larimer County Fairgrounds. The Macmillan Building is on the right side of the road. Watch for the 'Fairgrounds' and 'SCA' signs.

Autocrat: Lord James of Mann (Chris Gumble), 625 Whedbee, Ft Collins, CO 80524 (970) 472-1900.

Feast Coordinator: Mistress Theresea die Tanzerin (Terry Foppe), (970) 482-6608, tmf15@aol.com

IMPORTANT!!! ESTRELLA WAR PRE-REGISTRATION

Greetings, This year the Kingdom of Atenveldt will be doing things differently than in years past. Please take this information very seriously. It is very, very important to pre-register this year for Estrella War. All those who plan on attending this year needs to pre-register before December 31st, not a minute later. Any who do not pre-register will be placed in over flow camping, far away from everything going on. Trust me it will not be pleasant. Diana of the Tulips and myself, Lady Nynaeve are the barony's organizers. We must have 20 people to form a camping group. I would like to see as many of you camping within the barony as possible. Diana is the official group organizer, her name needs to be referenced on all pre-reg. forms. We also need to keep a running list of all those who plan to camp with in the barony, what size tents, if a kitchen will be needed etc. Even if you decide to camp outside the barony, you must have the exact name of the group you plan on staying with and also the name of their organizer for the pre-reg. forms. I think that you will find that camping with the barony this year will be rewarding we have some things in the works, it sounds like fun! Pricing/discounts are located on the pre-reg forms. For a member pre-registering before October 31st you will have a $5 discount the cost to you will be $30/$35 for non-members. For your $30 you will be given 225 square feet,100 square feet for juveniles. Please take in consideration the square footage for if you think you will need more then you will have to buy another adult site fee. If we can stay organized and someone who has a small dome tent and they do not need all 225 square feet you may talk to them about using some of their footage so you will not have to buy more. The pre-registration process is fairly simple. You must each fill out the pre-registration form. They can be pulled off the web, out of the OH and Diana and myself will have forms available. It is VERY important that everyone uses the same Group name and Organizer on these forms. The group name is Caerthe Outlands Group and the camping group organizer is Diana of the Tulips.

I cannot stress enough how important it is to be consistent and accurate when filling out this part of the form. I suggest that you fill out the pre-reg form, make a copy of your current up to date membership card, and a self addressed and stamped envelope (I have some available) and how ever you are going to pay, then see me and or Diana and we will send everything in together. This will give us a better idea of who will be camping with in Caerthe and better to organize with in. For sanity's sake I would appreciate it if everyone would pay by a money order. You can pick these up with much ease at a local 7-11 or grocery store. They do accept personal checks up until Oct. 31st; after that they will be returned. It takes 6 weeks to get confirmation with checks and we need proof of confirmation pre-reg. when we get on site. At troll when you get on site they will ask for the following: your current up to date membership card, pre-registration confirmation and your mundane ID. Pre-registrations are not refundable but you can sell your land to those who may not have realized that 225sq.ft. was not enough. Transferring member ship can be taken care of up till war by contacting Lady Gilana. Her information is on the pre-reg form. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at 303-752-9409 Nynaeve/Jen, Diana is in the Caerthe directory and we will be at fighter practices, etc.

Thank you, In service to the Outlands, Lady Nynaeve

Boo at the Zoo

Barony of Caerthe, October 28, AS XXXV (2000) Denver Public Zoo • 2300 Steele St. • Denver, CO 80205 Site Opens at 7:30a • Site Closes at 6:30p Fee: One 5 lb. Bag of candy Site is DRY; No Smoking on site

Once again, everyone is invited to participate in Caerthe's greatest demo of the year, Boo at the Zoo.

Artisans, please bring your works in progress and finished projects so that we can show the kids how it was done. Fighters and fencers, pack up your armor and weapons and come to display your martial talent and chivalry for the crowds.

Scribes, anyone who's ever even considered being a scribe, even people who wonder what a scribe is, we need any and all willing hands to produce bookmarks for the children. This is a great place to practice that new hand you've always wanted to learn.

As was the case last year, the entrance fee is a 5 lb. Bag of candy per person for distribution to the ghosts and goblins that seem to inhabit the Zoo during this time of year. Please be generous - we don't want to run out. Site opens at 10:00a to the general public and closes for them at 5:00 leaving us plenty f time for setup and cleanup. Assistance with both setting up and packing down will be greatly appreciated. A brass bowl lunch of hot soups and breads will be provided by The Honorable Lady Maredudd.

Note: Parking space will be scarce! Come early, help set up, and be guaranteed a good parking aspace. Really! Trust me! Also be aware that Denver ordinance prohibits smoking within the zoo.

Directions: From the south of Caerthe: Take the Colorado Blvd. exit (Exit 204) and go north Follow Colorado Blvd. to 23rd Street (it's a LONG way up there) and turn left (west). The Zoo will be on the left. From the north of Caerthe: Take I-25 to I-70 East. Exit I-70 East on Colorado Blvd. and go south. Follow Colorado Blvd. to 23rd street and turn right (west). The Zoo will be on the left.

Autocrat: Lady Rvka Vladimirovna Rivkina (Michelle Brothers) 13172 East Kansas Dr #E-137, Aurora, CO 80012, (303) 306-6213, rivka@caerthe.org

Cook: The Honorable Lady Maredudd Angharad ferch Gwynhyfar (Melanie Unruh-Bays), 16620 E. Kentucky Ave., Aurora, CO 80017-3124, (720) 744-9614, maredudd@mythic.com

Vigil for The Honorable Lady Denise of Amberley (known as Amber)

At Crown Tournament, Their Royal Majesties asked THL Amber to contemplate admittance to the Ancient and Honorable Order of the Laurel. Amber will give her answer at Caerthe's Art's and Sciences on Saturday, November 4th. All are welcome to come and offer their words to Amber as she sits vigil the evening of November 3rd at the home of Sir Maelgwn McCain, from 7:00PM until midnight. Amber will also hold a short vigil during the event.

Directions to Sir Maelgwn's: 5387 S. Foresthill St., Littleton, CO. Take your best route to W. Littleton Blvd. Foresthill St. is between S. Broadway and S. Sante Fe, when you reach Foresthill St. turn north and go approximately 4 blocks, it will be on the NW corner of S.Foresthill St. and W. Crestline Ave.

Barony of Caerthe Visual & Fiber Arts & Culinary and Performing Arts Competion/Accessories Collegium

Barony of Caerthe, November 4, AS XXXV (2000 Site Opens at 9:00a • Site Closes at 10:00p Berkeley Community Church • 3701 West 50th Avenue • Denver, CO 80221 Fees: Site – $5.00; Feast – $5.00 Make checks payable to "SCA - Caerthe" Site is DRY

Please make plans now to come and bring your finest artworks to the Caerthen Visual & Fiber Arts & Culinary and Performing Arts Competition. This year both A&S competitions are being combined into one event. There will also be an Accessories Collegium running concurrently with the competition. If the weather is good, there will also be fighting in the church yard. A delicious German feast will be served in the evening, and a donation lunch will also be available from 12 to 1.

Entries must be registered by 11 A.M. the day of the event. NO EXCEPTIONS! Any alcoholic/ brewing entries will be judged at Lady Cecilia's. Classes will also start at 11. Some classes may have fees. All fees will be $5.00 or less. A tentative class list follows:

Embroidered book covers: The Honorable Lady Taryn
Hats: Maestra Beatricia
Jewelry: Lady Keturah
Tights or shoes: Master Daffyd
Pouches: Lord Frederick
Hair: The Honorable Lady Caterina
Meatcarving: Mistress Kate
Candied fruit rind: The Honorable Lady Arwen
Belts: Lord Patric
Fans: Lady Killian

Reservations for feast will be taken until October 13th. After that you must take chances at the door.

Directions: Take your best route to I-70. Exit at Federal Blvd. Go north to 50th Ave. Go west on 50th. The church is on the north side of the street, one block past Lowell Blvd.

Autocrat and reservations: Lady Gwenhevare of Coventry, 8345 Charlotte Way, Denver, CO 80221, 303-650-1404 gwenhevare@juno.com.

Head Koch: The Honorable Lady Gwen Catrin von Berlin (Martina Grasse), (303) 703-3693, grasse@mscd.edu

Feast for Caerthe's A&S 2000

This feast is based on the two meat-day banquets for kings from Marxen Rumpolt's 1582 Ein New Kochbuch. Because it is based on period meat (meaning not Fast) day fare it is rather lacking in Vegetarian options. It is therefore IMPERATIVE that anyone needing to request special accommodations contact me ASAP.

Gwen Cat may be reached at grasse@mscd.edu or at 303-703-3693 between the hours of 10 am and 9 pm only please! A servant is available to take messages.

On the tables:

Salads, eggs, and smoked meats.

First Course:

The Small Roasts, consisting of assorted roast whole bird, appropriate sauces, root vegetables, and barley cooked in broth. (A class on carving is planned, for those desiring to learn this useful skill. Those attending may wish to bring a carving set to assist them.)

The second course:

The Large Roasts, being beef and pork, with their proper accompaniments, including sausage and cabbage.

The final course will be the fruits, baked things, and comfits prepared asmay please kings.

This menu is tentative, subject to change at the whim of the grocer, the butcher, and the koch.

A website for the Feast for Caerthes A&S in November has been created at:
http://clem.mscd.edu/~grasse/GK_ASnovfeast.htm

I plan to update any changes here, as well as perhaps posting recipes as they are redacted or finalized. A link to the (very rough) source material is already built into the page.

Outlands Coronation

Barony of Citadel of the Southern Pass, November 11-12, AS XXXV (2000) 11/11 site Tobin Park Methodist Church • 9410 Roanoke Drive • El Paso, TX 79924 11/12 site: Memorial Park Picnic Grounds • Copia and Copper St. • El Paso, TX 79930 Fees: Site - $6.00; Feast received by 11/1/00 - $6.00 and $9.00 at the door. Fees for children under 12 are half price. Make checks payable to "SCA - Citadel of the Southern Pass" Both sites are DRY

The Coronation of the Royal Successors to Their Royal Majesties, Kynan and Eleanor, will be celebrated in the Barony of the Citadel of the Southern Pass on November 11-12, 2000. The final schedule of events and courts will be determined by Their Royal Majesties and Highnesses after Crown Tournament and will be published in the next article.

During the weekend there will be the protector of the Queen's Heart Tourney, Peers' Circles, and the Queen's Champion Tourney. The theme is a celebration of Outland's History. The feast will consist of past Crowns' favorites with the requests of Their Royal Highnesses to be added to the menu. The history theme will also be part of the kingdom fundraiser, as well as a silent auction. A competition for Kingdom Promissory AoA scrolls will also be held. Tokens for a lunch provided by the Citadel Cooks may be purchased at the door for $3.00.

For more information about the event contact the autocrat.

Autocrat: Baroness Claudia Senatori (Claudia Swain), 10512 Fernridge, El Paso, TX 79935, (915) 595-0643, claudiaswain@hotmail.com

Head Cook/Reservations/Crash Space: The Honorable Lady Leah de Montgomerie (Amy Conrad), 10704 Fury, El Paso, TX 79936, (915) 592-5498, conrad@elpasonet.net

Court of Love II
November 25, 11a to 11p

Come and join the fine barony of Caerthe for fighting, flirting, fun and more flirting. The tourneys will provide a chance for consorts to actively affect the outcome of a fight not just sit by the sidelines bored. In the evening there will be a feast, dancing and a cout of love. Now is the chance to find redress for any slights given to you from a loved one. The site is damp. Showers are available on site. Site and Feast will be $12. There will be vegetarian options available. Please contact the autocract for reservation and dietary restrictions. Also if you need crash space the autocrat can help find some for you.

Directions to the site: Take your best route to Denver, CO. From I-25 exit I-225 NORTH Merge onto I-225 NORTH RAMP Take I-225 aprox. 9.1 Mi. to the US-40/US-287/COLFAX AVENUE exit LEFT onto E COLFAX AVE/US-40 W. Proceed West on Colfax Avenue to the intersection of Colfax and Potomac. The Fitzsimmons Park and Ride is located at this intersection. Turn right onto Potomac and proceed North. You will turn left onto 17th Place. If you cross the bridge and head into the trailer park you have gone too far. Proceed West on 17th Place until you come to your first traffic light. Turn left onto Wheeler and proceed South to the chain link fenced area on the left. Turn left into the parking lot and find a place to park.

If you have any further questions please contact the autocrat.

Autocrat information: Diana of the Tulips mka Diana Bristol 303-403-0146 e-mail-DianaTulips@yahoo.com

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Baronial Yule
December 1, 2000

Baronial Yule is almost upon us. As always, this will be a brass bowl and potluck affair. The site will be at the home of one of our newest members. And a lovely place it is.

Site Restrictions and Amenities:

The site is a private residence. There are three cats in residence; therefore absolutely no pets of any kind are allowed at this site. The site is **very dry.** There is no wheelchair access. Off street parking only. There are three bathrooms and two sitting areas. Smoking is allowed outside in the back only. Chairs and covering will be provided for the smokers.

Entertainment: The Much Ado singers and backup will lend their voices to this evening of pleasant revelry. THL Marguerite will also sing for us. THL Roland has graciously agreed to conduct the ornament exchange. There will be a few simple games to pass the time. Prizes will be awarded for the games and the best red and green outfit.

Directions and further information will be in the next printing of the newsletter.

Autocrat: Lady Killian MacKenzie. 303-773-9596.

Caerthen Arts and Sciences Champion:

THL Gwen Catrin von Berlin

Baronial Bard:

Mistress Caelainn ingen Muiredaig

Art Credits

cover — Mistress MIrianna Wrenn

Schola Metallorum

(Incipient College)

The College of Schola Metallorum is another subsidiary branch of the Barony and is associated with the Colorado School of Mines in Golden. The Schola Metallorum office phone is 303-384-2194.

Populace meetings: held every 2 weeks. Call the Senescal for details.

Fighter practice: Tuesdays at 6:00pm at Kafadar Commons (good weather) or Mines Fieldhouse (poor weather).

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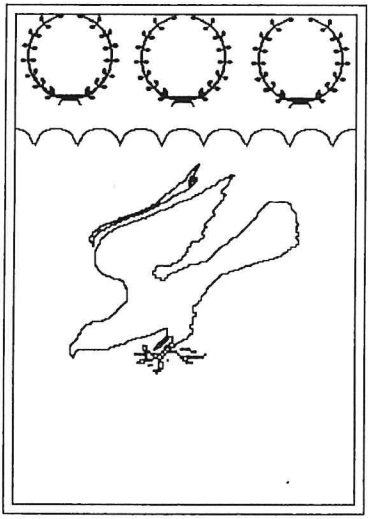

Canton of Hawk's Hollow

The Canton of Hawk's Hollow is a subsidiary branch of the Barony of Caerthe located in the northern metropolitan area including the cities of Westminster, Thornton, Northglenn, and Commerce City.

Populace meetings are held at the Friendly Village of the Rockies Clubhouse at 7:30 PM on the first Friday of the month. To get to this site take your best route to I-25 and Thornton Parkway (92nd Ave). Go west on Thornton Parkway, then north on Pecos to 100th Ave. Head west, taking your first left (Elbert) and you will see the clubhouse in front of you.

Fighter Practice: Contact Lord Eoin (listed below) for more information.

Archery: Contact Lady Meadhbh (listed below) for more information.

Scottish Gaming: Contact Lord Ivan MacOrin (listed on Caerthan officer's page) for more information.

All are encouraged to participate! Since all practices are in a public place, the wearing of garb is very much appreciated.

Canton Officers

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Barony of Caerthe

Meetings, Practices, Guilds & Miscellany

BUSINESS MEETINGS (Open to all populace)

7:00 to 9:00 pm - After June, meetings will be on the last Monday of each month at the Virginia Village Library. Contact Mistress Meghan at 303-727-9709.

FIGHTER PRACTICE

Heavy and Light Weapons: Take your best route to the intersection of I-225 and Colfax Ave. Proceed West on Colfax to the intersection of Colfax and Potomac. The Fitzsimmons Park and Ride is located at this intersection. Turn right onto Potomac and proceed North. You will turn left onto 17th Place. If you cross the bridge and head into the trailer park you have gone too far. Proceed West on 17th Pl. until you come to your first traffic light. Turn left onto Wheeler and proceed South to the chain link fenced area on the left. Turn left into the parking lot and find a place to park. Contact Jester: (303) 399-1229.

Archery: Contact Lord Eric Morrison of Thistlekeep at 303-452-0717

Scottish Gaming: Contact Lord Ivan MacOrin at 303-940-0104.

GUILDS, CLASSES, MEETINGS

Brewer's Guild: The first Sunday of every month (unless otherwise noted due to an event) beginning at noon, at the home of Lady Stasia. Please call for directions, 303-940-0104.

Calligrapher's, Illuminator's & Illustrator's Guild: 2nd &3rd Mondays, 7:00pm. 15912 East Lehigh Circle. Contact THLady Arwen at 303-756-7040, arwen@caerthe.org

Cook's Guild: Contact Mistress Katherine Holford at 303-322-1907. 910 Milwaukee St., Denver.

Dancing Classes: Site varies. Garb is encouraged. Contact THLady Arwen 303-756-7040 or THLady Wyndylyn 303-680-1583 for information.

Drumming Classes: 2nd & 4th Tuesdays. 7134 Quay Cir., Arvada. For info or directions, call Sir James at 303-940-8157 or email at jmesser@usgs.gov.

Jewelry Guild: 4th Sundays. Contact Lady Keturah 303-368-8465.

Lampworker's Guild: Workshops, Tuesday evenings, 7 until 9 p.m at 4500 S. Monaco, garage #2307, Denver. Contact THL Jorunn 303-796-8353, jorunn@qadas.com for more information.

Pins and Needles Sewing & Research Group: 4665 Williams, Denver, CO. Call Mistress Giselle @ 303-292-3360, for directions and for days. The meetings will be on an as wanted basis. Questions? Write me at jsclow98722@aol.com or call me as above.

Milliner's/Costumer's Guild: Contact Mistress Beatricia at 303-460-8189 for directions and meeting times.

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